### PATENT APPLICATION



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Achromatic Circular Polarizer

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the following documents:

# **United States Patents**

U.S. Patent No.	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
2,441,049	West	05-04-1948
3,972,587	Scheffer	08-03-1976
6,320,657	Aspnes et al.	11-20-2001

### Other Documents

"Polarized Light" by William A. Shurcliff, Harvard University Press, Cambridge, MA, 1966, pp. 81-82, 101-103

Copies of these documents are submitted herewith along with Form PTOSB/08A and PTO/SB/08B.

Applicant respectfully requests that these documents be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application and made of record herein and appear among the "documents cited" on any patent to issue herefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

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